

**REMARKS**

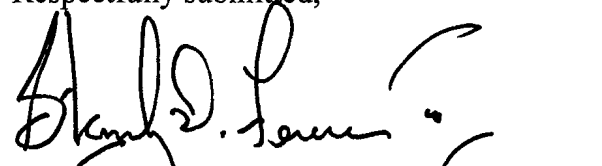
Applicants submit this response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 2, 2008. The basis for the Notice was an incorrect status identifier preceding Claim 1. During preparation of this response it was noticed that the status identifiers preceding Claims 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7 were also incorrect.

In the Amendments to the Claims, Applicant has provided a listing of claims that include the text of all pending claims along with the full text of the previously presented and amended claims. The only difference between the listing of claims submitted herewith and the listing of claims submitted with the Amendment dated January 24, 2008, is the status identifier (or marking) for Claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7 have been changed from "Previously Presented" to --Currently Amended--.

It is Applicant's understanding that the corrected sections submitted herewith shall replace the previous incorrect sections and that the remaining sections of Applicant's previous Amendment, hereby incorporated by reference, including the Applicant's "Remarks" sections are to be considered along with this paper.

Finally, it is also understood that the Applicant has been given one month in which to provide this response without incurring any additional fees provided no claims to which an additional fee is required have been added; therefore, no fee appears to be required with this timely filed response. If there are any further issues in this application, the Office is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stanley D. Ference III", written over a horizontal line.

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